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In re Application of:

Satoshi NAKAMURA et al.

Application No.: 09/805,934

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 21, 2002 (Paper No. 9), and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.116, the period for response to which extends through January 21, 2003, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 2 without prejudice and disclaimer.